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**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re: Patent Application of : Attorney Docket No.:  
Deborah Addison *et al.* : **101713-5041**  
Appln. No.: **10/579,850** : Examiner: James Robinson  
Filed: May 17, 2006 : Confirmation No.: 8913  
For: ANTIOXIDANT AND ANTIMICROBIAL : Group Art Unit: 3772  
WOUND DRESSING MATERIALS :  
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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Madam:

In response to the Office Action dated June 22, 2009, Applicants respectfully request the following amendments and remarks be made of record in the above-identified patent application. This response is timely filed in view of the Petition for Two Month Extension of Time and accompanying fee filed herewith, which extends the time for response up to and including November 23, 2009 (as November 22, 2009, is a Sunday).

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 4 of this paper.